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REFERENCE: CURACAO 035, JAN 1, 1975

THE FOLLOWING LETER WAS RECEIVED TODAY IN REPLY TO THE CONSULATE
GENERAL'S LETTER DATED OCTOBER 23, 1974, REQUESTING THE GNA'S
PERMISSION TO ESTABLISH AN OFFICE OF THE DEA IN CURACAO.

QUOTE "MARCH 5, 1975

THE HONOURABLE CONSUL GENERAL OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
J.B. GORSIRAWEG NO. 1.

DEAR SIR:

REFERRING TO YOUR LETTER OF OCTOBER 23, 1974, REGARDING THE
WISH OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO ESTABLISH AN OFFICE
OF THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY (DEA) IN THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES,
I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU THAT MY GOVERNMENT DOES NOT THINK IT
NECESSARY THAT A DEA OFFICE BE ESTABLISHED IN THE NETHERLANDS
ANTILLES FOR THE TIME BEING.

HOWEVER, I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES WILL BE
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INSTRUCTED TO GIVE ALL POSSIBLE CO-OPERATION TO THE DEA AGENTS

FOR FIGHTING ILLICIT TRAFFIC AND DRUG ABUSE.

ACCEPT, SIR, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

J.M.G. EVERTSZ
MINISTER-PRESIDENT" UNQUOTE

COMMENT: IT WILL BE NOTED THAT ALTHOUGH THE ORIGINAL LETTER
WAS ADDRESSED TO THE GNA MINISTER OF JUSTICE E.J. VOS THE REPLY
WAS SIGNED BY THE GNA MINISTER-PRESIDENT J.M.G. EVERTSZ.
THE CONSULATE GENERAL MUST CONSIDER THE REPLY ON THE MATTER FINAL
AND WILL TAKE NO FURTHER ACTION.

THE CONSULATE GENERAL IS PLEASED TO NOTE THAT THE MINISTER
PRESIDENT HAS INSTRUCTED GNA AUTHORITIES TO GIVE ALL POSSIBLE
COOPERATION TO THE DEA AND DEA AGENTS FOR FIGHTING ILLICIT TRAFFIC
AND DRUG ABUSE.
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